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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HIGHWAY 1 RUMBLE STRIP PROJECT CONTINUES IN MORRO BAY/CAYUCOS

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – A safety project to install rumble strips along a 42-mile section of Highway 1 from Highland Drive in San Luis Obispo to one-mile north of Hearst Castle Road in San Simeon will continue in the Morro Bay area on Thursday, June 2 during the overnight hours from 8 pm until 6 am.

Construction will continue next week in both directions of Highway 1 in the Cayucos area Sunday, June 5 through Friday morning, June 10 during the overnight hours from 8 pm until 6 am. Residents who live in the area will experience noise from the equipment installing the rumble strips which will make two passes in the vicinity of their homes.

Motorists will encounter one-way reversing traffic control with flaggers within the twolane section of Highway 1 from north of Ocean Avenue to north of Hearst Castle Road with up to 15 minute traffic delays. Electronic message signs will inform the public.

These rumble strips create a vibration when driving over them and enhance safety for travelers along this popular coastal route. The contractor for this \$1.6 million project is Souza Construction of San Luis Obispo, CA. Completion is expected in early summer.

Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through highway construction zones. Share the road.

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Rumble strip to be installed along the white (fog) line of Highway 1 in SLO County in locations where the roadway is not concrete.

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